AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-31 are pending in the instant application. Claims 1, 11, 21, and 30 have been amended. Claims 2-10, 12-20, and 22-31 depend from independent claims 1, 11, and 21, respectively. New claims 32-42 have been added.

The Applicant requests reconsideration of the claims in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Listing of claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for communicating information in a distributed network, the method comprising:

<u>automatically</u> detecting, <u>without user intervention</u>, whether one or more of new media, data and/or service becomes newly available within the distributed network;

migrating said newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service to at least a first media processing system within the distributed media network; and

storing said migrated newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service at said at least a first media processing system.

2. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1, comprising determining whether said stored migrated newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service should be processed.

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3. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 2, comprising if said

stored migrated newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service is to be

processed, migrating said stored migrated newly available one or more of new media,

data and/or service into one or both of a media view and/or a channel view.

4. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 3, wherein said one or

both of a media view and/or a channel view is associated with said first media

processing system.

5. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 3, comprising

determining whether to push said migrated newly available one or more of new media,

data and/or service to one or both of a second media processing system and/or a

personal computer coupled to the media exchange network.

6. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 5, comprising if said

migrated newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service is to be

pushed, migrating said newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service

to said one or both of said second media processing system and/or a personal

computer coupled to the media exchange network.

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7. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1, comprising

automatically migrating said newly available one or more of new media, data and/or

service to at least a first media processing system within the distributed media network.

8. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1, comprising

scheduling said migration of said newly available one or more of new media, data

and/or service to one or both of said first media processing system and/or a second

media processing system within the distributed media network.

9. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 8, comprising indicating

said migration of said newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service to

one or both of said first media processing system and/or a second media processing

system within the distributed media network.

10. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1, comprising

archiving said stored newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service.

11. (Currently Amended) A machine-readable storage having stored thereon, a

computer program having at least one code section for communicating information in a

distributed media network, the at least one code section being executable by a machine

for causing the machine to perform steps comprising:

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automatically detecting, without user intervention, whether one or more of new

media, data and/or service becomes newly available within the distributed network;

migrating said newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service to

at least a first media processing system within the distributed media network; and

storing said migrated newly available one or more of new media, data and/or

service at said at least a first media processing system.

12. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 11,

comprising code for determining whether said stored migrated newly available one or

more of new media, data and/or service should be processed.

13. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 12,

comprising code for migrating said stored migrated newly available one or more of new

media, data and/or service into one or both of a media view and/or a channel view, if

said stored migrated newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service is

to be processed.

14. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 13,

wherein said one or both of a media view and/or a channel view is associated with said

first media processing system.

15. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 13,

comprising code for determining whether to push said migrated newly available one or

more of new media, data and/or service to one or both of a second media processing

system and/or a personal computer coupled to the media exchange network.

16. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 15,

comprising code for migrating said newly available one or more of new media, data

and/or service to said one or both of said second media processing system and/or a

personal computer coupled to the media exchange network, if said migrated newly

available one or more of new media, data and/or service is to be pushed.

17. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 11,

comprising code for automatically migrating said newly available one or more of new

media, data and/or service to at least a first media processing system within the

distributed media network.

18. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 11,

comprising code for scheduling said migration of said newly available one or more of

new media, data and/or service to one or both of said first media processing system

and/or a second media processing system within the distributed media network.

19. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 18, comprising code for indicating said migration of said newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service to one or both of said first media processing system and/or a second media processing system within the distributed media network.

20. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 19, comprising code for archiving said stored newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service.

21. (Currently Amended) A system for communicating information in a distributed media network, the system comprising:

at least one processor for <u>automatically</u> detecting, <u>without user intervention</u>, whether one or more of new media, data and/or service becomes newly available within the distributed network;

said at least one processor for migrating said newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service to at least a first media processing system within the distributed media network; and

a local storage for storing said migrated newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service at said at least a first media processing system.

22. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 21, wherein said at

least one processor determines whether said stored migrated newly available one or

more of new media, data and/or service should be processed.

23. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 22, wherein said at

least one processor migrates said stored migrated newly available one or more of new

media, data and/or service into one or both of a media view and/or a channel view, if

said stored migrated newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service is

to be processed.

24. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 23, wherein said one

or both of a media view and/or a channel view is associated with said first media

processing system.

25. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 23, wherein said at

least one processor determines whether to push said migrated newly available one or

more of new media, data and/or service to one or both of a second media processing

system and/or a personal computer coupled to the media exchange network.

26. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 25, wherein said at

least one processor migrates said newly available one or more of new media, data

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and/or service to said one or both of said second media processing system and/or a personal computer coupled to the media exchange network, if said migrated newly

available one or more of new media, data and/or service is to be pushed.

27. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 21, wherein said at

least one processor automatically migrates said newly available one or more of new

media, data and/or service to at least a first media processing system within the

distributed media network.

28. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 21, wherein said at

least one processor schedules said migration of said newly available one or more of

new media, data and/or service to one or both of said first media processing system

and/or a second media processing system within the distributed media network.

29. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 28, wherein said at

least one processor indicates said migration of said newly available one or more of new

media, data and/or service to one or both of said first media processing system and/or a

second media processing system within the distributed media network.

30. (Currently Amended) The system according to claim [[11]]21, comprising an archival storage for storing said stored newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service.

31. (Previously Presented) The system according to claim 21, wherein said at least one processor is one or more of a computer processor, media peripheral processor, a media exchange system processor, media processor system processor and/or a storage processor.

32. (New) A system for communicating information in a distributed media network, the system comprising:

at least one processor operable to automatically detect, without user intervention, whether one or more of new media, data and/or service becomes newly available within the distributed network;

said at least one processor operable to migrate said newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service to at least a first media processing system within the distributed media network; and

said at least one processor operable to cause storage of said migrated newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service in a local storage associated with said at least a first media processing system.

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33. (New) The system according to claim 32, wherein said at least one processor

operable to determine whether said stored migrated newly available one or more of new

media, data and/or service should be processed.

34. (New) The system according to claim 33, wherein said at least one processor

operable to migrate said stored migrated newly available one or more of new media,

data and/or service into one or both of a media view and/or a channel view, if said

stored migrated newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service is to be

processed.

35. (New) The system according to claim 34, wherein said one or both of a media

view and/or a channel view is associated with said first media processing system.

36. (New) The system according to claim 34, wherein said at least one processor

operable to determine whether to push said migrated newly available one or more of

new media, data and/or service to one or both of a second media processing system

and/or a personal computer coupled to the media exchange network.

37. (New) The system according to claim 36, wherein said at least one processor

operable to migrate said newly available one or more of new media, data and/or service

to said one or both of said second media processing system and/or a personal

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computer coupled to the media exchange network, if said migrated newly available one

or more of new media, data and/or service is to be pushed.

38. (New) The system according to claim 32, wherein said at least one processor

operable to automatically migrate said newly available one or more of new media, data

and/or service to at least a first media processing system within the distributed media

network.

39. (New) The system according to claim 32, wherein said at least one processor

operable to schedule said migration of said newly available one or more of new media,

data and/or service to one or both of said first media processing system and/or a

second media processing system within the distributed media network.

40. (New) The system according to claim 39, wherein said at least one processor

operable to indicate said migration of said newly available one or more of new media,

data and/or service to one or both of said first media processing system and/or a

second media processing system within the distributed media network.

41. (New) The system according to claim 32, wherein said at least one processor

operable to cause storage of said stored newly available one or more of new media,

data and/or service in an archival storage.

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42. (New) The system according to claim 32, wherein said at least one processor is one or more of a computer processor, media peripheral processor, a media exchange system processor, media processor system processor and/or a storage processor.